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1. (Confidential - GLC) Made arrangements with James Kendall, Chief Counsel, Senate Subcommittee on Preparedness Investigation, for Mr. Bruce Clarke to brief him and Ben Gilleas, of the staff, at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, 26 February.

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2. (Unclassified - GLC) [REDACTED] now on the staff of Senator Lloyd Bentsen (D., Texas), called to say that the Senator will be traveling to Southeast Asia from 25 February to 12 March and would like to get an area briefing from the Agency before his departure. We are checking to work out a satisfactory time for the briefing.

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3. (Confidential - GLC) Mr. Maury hosted a luncheon for Representative Jack McDonald (R., Mich.) with [REDACTED] also present. Following lunch Mr. Maury gave Representative McDonald a general briefing on the relationship of the Agency in the intelligence community structure and on the organization of the Agency. Representative McDonald, who was unable to attend a freshman breakfast some years ago but who had expressed continuing interest in the Agency, seemed thoroughly interested and expressed his appreciation for the invitation.

4. (Secret - JGO) In response to Mr. Frank Slatinshek's earlier request, met with Chairman F. Edward Hebert and Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and reviewed with the Chairman present information available on the "Caspian Sea Monster." Chairman Hebert's interest is generated by a military test and development program of a surface effects vehicle being conducted in the New Orleans area. See Journal of 10 February 1971.

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